



The Grand Lodge of the Most Ancient and Honorable Society of  
Free and Accepted Masons for the State of New Jersey  
1114 Oxmead Road, Burlington, NJ 08016



M.W. Larry S. Plasket, PGM  
Grand Secretary

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**UPCOMING GRAND LODGE EVENTS AND NOTICES FOR ALL MASONS  
FOR MARCH 2010**

**UNITY TABLE LODGE**

This annual Table Lodge is when brethren from our lodges enjoy an evening of toasts and good food with the ladies of the Order of the Eastern Star, The Order of the Golden Chain, and the Order of the Amaranth. Wives of Master Masons who do not belong to these ladies organizations are also invited to attend.

Date- **March 5, 2010**, Social Hour begins at 6 PM, the Unity Table Lodge begins at 7 PM.

Fellowship Center, 1114 Oxmead Rd., Burlington, NJ at our Masonic Home campus

Cost- \$35. Please send your check, payable to "Grand Lodge of New Jersey" to Grand Lodge of New Jersey, 1114 Oxmead Rd., Burlington, NJ, 08016, by February 26, 2010.

**CHAIRMAN'S BALL**

Break out your platform shoes and leisure suits and celebrate the 70's at this year's Gala Disco Cruise, the theme of the 2010 Chairman's Ball. Black tie attire. 70's style clothing is encouraged.

**Saturday, March 20, 2010**- 6:00 P.M. Social Hour, Dinner at 7 P.M.

Fellowship Center, 1114 Oxmead Rd., Burlington, N.J.

Dancing to The Kenny I Orchestra until 11 P.M.

There will also be an opportunity to win a cruise for two that evening. \$20 strips of tickets will be sold and the winner will be drawn that evening. There will be no pre-selling of tickets so you have to attend to have the chance to win the cruise. All profits from the Ball and the cruise raffle will go to the Masonic Home of New Jersey.

This event is always a sellout so send your check for \$130 per person, payable to "Masonic Charity Foundation of N.J." to Charity Foundation Development Office, 902 Jacksonville Rd., Burlington, N.J., 08016 as soon as possible.

Tables for a group of ten people can be reserved by calling 609 239-3940. Tickets can also be charged to your credit card by calling the same phone number.

**MASONIC FAMILY HOCKEY GAME**

Trenton Devils vs. Elmira Jackals

Sunday **March 28, 2010**, 4:00PM

Sovereign Bank Arena, Trenton, NJ

Tickets: \$15.00 lower level behind the net, \$18.00 club level

Benefit: Hero Scholarship Fund

Send your check payable to the Grand Lodge of New Jersey, along with a self addressed stamped envelope to:

R.W. Glenn E Latshaw, 444 West Avenue, Delanco, NJ 08075

Contact R.W. Brother Latshaw at 856-278-0012 or bigdadyglenn@aol.com for more information

**GRAND LODGE BANQUET - ANNUAL COMMUNICATION**

Most Worshipful William H. Berman, Grand Master, extends a cordial invitation to our Brethren and their Ladies to attend the Grand Lodge Banquet at the 223<sup>rd</sup> Annual Communication in Atlantic City.

Place: Ocean Ballroom, 6th Floor, Bally's Park Place Hotel & Casino Park Place at the Boardwalk

Date: **Wednesday, 28 April 2010**

Time: **Social Hour – 6:00 P.M. (Cash Bar), Dinner – 7:00 P.M.**

Menu: **Chicken or Seafood or Beef**

Price: **\$ 45.00 Per Person**

**Entertainment**

For tickets, please forward your check made payable to the **Grand Lodge F. & A.M. of New Jersey** for the number of tickets needed and the meal choice, along with a **self-addressed stamped envelope**, to the Grand Secretary's Office, 1114 Oxmead Road, Burlington, NJ 08016. **The DEADLINE for reservations is Friday, 19 March 2010. Tables of 10 can be reserved. We must have the name and meal choice of every person for whom a ticket is purchased.**

Thank you for your interest and support. We look forward to breaking bread and sharing an evening of Masonic fun and fellowship with you.

**GRAND MASTER'S OPEN INSTALLATION**

In the event of the election of R. W. Joseph H. Rival, Jr., as Grand Master of Freemasons of the State of New Jersey and Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Masonic Charity Foundation, at the 223<sup>rd</sup> Annual Communication of this Grand Lodge and 81<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting of the Masonic Charity Foundation on 29 April 2010, the Brethren, their ladies and friends are cordially and fraternally invited to attend the following:

**BALLY'S PARK PLACE, ATLANTIC CITY, NEW JERSEY**

**\*THURSDAY, APRIL 29, 2010\***

Installation- 2:00 P.M.

**RECEPTION & BANQUET HONORING THE GRAND MASTER AND CHAIRMAN  
OF THE  
MASONIC CHARITY FOUNDATION BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
Grand Lodge of New Jersey**

Fellowship Center, 1114 Oxmead Road, Burlington, New Jersey

Saturday, May 8, 2010

Grand Master's Prayer Service: 4:00 P.M. (at Chapel)

Reception: 5:15 P.M. Social Period: 6:30 P.M. – Banquet: 7:15 P.M.

Tickets - \$50.00

Admission to Banquet by reservation only. No tickets will be sold at the door. Deadline for reservations is Friday, May 1, 2010. For those attending the Reception only, there is no charge and no reservations are necessary. Upon arrival, all Present and Past Grand Lodge officers attending are requested to check in with the Grand Marshal.

Please make checks payable to **Laurel Lodge #237** and mail with self-addressed stamped envelope to:  
W.B. Robert Kunze, 117 21<sup>st</sup> Avenue, Monroeville, NJ 08343. **Any questions please call (856) 305-3377**

Larry S. Plasket, PGM  
Grand Secretary

**IMPORTANT NOTICE FROM THE GRAND MASTER**

**EDICT**

In recognition of the challenges facing brethren who are not computer-literate or do not have computer access to cast ballots for elected Grand Lodge and Charity Foundation candidates, the costs involved for Internet based balloting that in the past have proven excessive considering the low number of voters who have participated in that option, and in acknowledgment of the positive experience of attending the Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge in person to sit side by side as brethren dwelling in harmony, the provisions of section 3, part 3(e) of the Grand Lodge By-laws are hereby suspended. There will be no off site balloting this year.

By order of:

M.W. William H. Berman  
Grand Master

Attest:

M.W. Larry S. Plasket, PGM  
Grand Secretary

## LIVING PAST MASTERS

1954	Richard A. White
1955	Nathan Siegal
1958	Aaron Schlisserman
1961	Howard L. Ely
1962	Robert F. Burton
1966	Nathan J. Cotler
1967	Robert Rogove
1968	Eugene L. Weaver
1970	Robert Milfred L. Heldreth
1972	John Miller
1972	Herbert Wizanski
1974, '80, '85, '02	RW John D. Post, PGC, PDRI
1976, '77, '86, '91, '94	RW Herbert Glikin, PGC
1977	Cliff Gibson
1986	Burt Coffee
1987, '96	RW Christian Mogensen, PGC, PDRI
1987, '96	Rae Hoopes
1988, '92	Bernard Merer
1988	William C. Zimmerman
1989	Lynn A. Parry
1990	Richard P. Collins
1992, '05	RW John S. Tsettos, PGC
1993	RW Philip Scrudato, PGC
1997	Chad Irons
1999	Robert T. Baer
2004	Denver L. White
2006	Robert B. Lee
2007	Bennett D. Schneider
2008	Hal V. Enoch
2009	Marc C. Ippolito

### GRAND MASTER OF MASONS FOR THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Most Worshipful William H. Berman, Grand Master  
1114 Oxmead Road  
Burlington, NJ 08016  
(609) 239-3971

### DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTER

Right Worshipful Raymond Hilling, DDGM  
809 Rosewood Ave. Point Pleasant, NJ 08742  
732-892-7523

### DISTRICT RITUAL INSTRUCTOR

Right Worshipful Richard Holst, DRI  
267 Burlington Rd. Freehold, NJ 07728  
908-794-7221

### DISTRICT REP. MSA VISITATION

Central New Jersey  
Michael Holt, Representative  
908-322-7246

## LODGE COMMITTEES

### TRUSTEES

WB Marc C. Ippolito, PM 3 Years  
WB Hal V. Enoch, PM 2 Years  
WB Bennett D. Schneider, PM 1 Year

### AUDIT & FINANCE

WB Bennett D. Schneider, PM, Chair  
RW Philip L. Scrudato, PGC  
Bro. Walter J. Thomas

### FRANZ FUND

WB Hal V. Enoch, PM, Chair  
WB Adam M. Reich  
Bro. Pierre F. Foy  
WB Bennett D. Schneider, PM  
RW Philip L. Scrudato, PGC  
RW John D. Post, PGC, PDRI  
RW Christian Mogensen, PGC, PDRI

### RITUAL & INSTRUCTION

RW John D. Post, PGC, PDRI, Chair  
RW Christian Mogensen, PGC, PDRI  
RW Philip L. Scrudato, PGC  
RW John S. Tsettos, PGC

### SICKNESS & DISTRESS

All Lodge Officers

### HOUSE COMMITTEE

WB Marc C. Ippolito, PM, Chair  
WB Robert B. Lee, PM  
Bro. Christopher Henn

### FUNERAL SERVICES

RW John Post, PGC, PDRI, Chair  
RW Christian Mogensen, PGC, PDRI  
WB Nathan Siegal, PM Chairman Emeritus

## Lodges of the 17<sup>th</sup> District

Navesink #9.....	152 Maple Ave. Red Bank
WM: Richard C. Joyce	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday
	(732) 546-8390
Olive Branch #16.....	2 Dutch Lane Rd. Freehold
WM: Richard E. Cavanaugh	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday
	(732) 431-2234
Caesarea #64.....	3 <sup>rd</sup> & Osborne Sts. Keyport
WM: Brian A. Hetsko	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Monday
	(732) 497-0467
Ocean #89.....	559 Church St. Spring Lake Heights
WM: Paul H. Schutz,	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Thursday
	(732) 681-1383
Monmouth #172.....	14 E. Garfield Ave. Atlantic Highlands
WM: William Hammel	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Friday
	(908) 601-2546
Durand #179.....	911 Richmond Ave. Point Pleasant Beach
WM: Gary J. Olsen	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Monday
	(732) 295-8677
Matawan #192.....	192 Main St. Matawan
WM: Robert Darley	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesday
	(732) 583-7875

## OFFICERS 2010

Adam M. Reich	Worshipful Master
711-1 Zlotkin Circle, Freehold, NJ 07728	
732-305-0380	
AdamR@AsburyJordan142.org	
Pierre F. Foy	Senior Warden
514 Prospect Avenue, Asbury Park, NJ 07712	
732-361-8557	
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13 Fordham Drive, Aberdeen, NJ 07747	
732-566-1920	
Philip L. Scrudato, PGC (Susan)	Treasurer
16 Ravenswood Lane, Scotch Plains, NJ 07076	
732-779-7776	
Bennett D. Schneider, PM (Victoria)	Secretary
1514 Third Avenue, Asbury, NJ 07712	
732-988-2882	
Milton Ziment	Chaplain
(Claragee)	732-222-4739
Marc C. Ippolito, PM	Senior Deacon
(Stephanie)	609-610-8677
Christopher R. Henn	Junior Deacon
	908-675-0036
John D. Post, PGC, PDRI	Sr. Master of Ceremonies
(Mary)	732-225-6265
Robert B. Lee, PM	Jr. Master of Ceremonies
	732-688-0890
Jean M. St. Phard	Sr. Steward
(Jeanette)	732-567-4515
Christian Mogensen, PGC, PDRI	Jr. Steward
(Carol)	732-775-9380
John S. Tsettos, PGC	Marshal
(Chrisoula)	732-241-6832
Rae Hoopes, PM	Organist
(Amy)	732-229-2983
Adam M. Reich	Historian
	732-305-0380
Walter J. Thomas	Tyler
(Soleyda)	732-840-0731
Christian Mogensen, PGC, PDRI	Proxy to Grand Lodge
(Carol)	732-775-9380
<b>AFFILIATED PAST MASTERS</b>	
RW Edward Durna, PS to GM	
<b>HONORARY MEMBERS</b>	
MW Douglas R. Policastro, PGM	
RW Harold Ascough, PDDGM	
Bro. Tom Burke, DWAB	

# Asbury Jordan Lodge

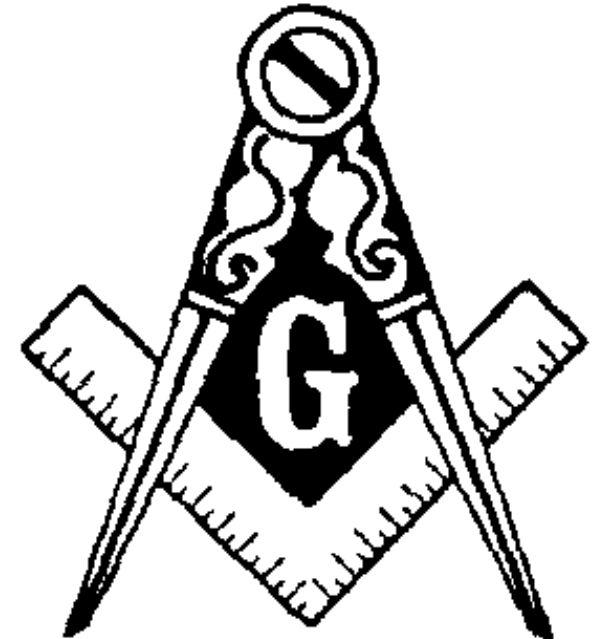
## No. 142

## Free & Accepted Masons

### Constituted 29 April 1999

*Asbury Lodge #142: Constituted 1875*

*Jordan Lodge #247: Constituted 1923*



## March

Anno Domini 2010 Anno Lucis 6010

Regular Communications

First and Third Tuesday

Except July and August

Masonic Temple

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Neptune, New Jersey 07754-0284

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MASTER'S MESSAGE

**Whence Came You?**

This simple question holds much significance in Freemasonry. As operative Masons, we came from the Lodge of the Holy Saints John at Jerusalem. As speculative Masons, we came from a desire to join a fraternal organization that focuses on Morality, Brotherly Love and Charity. We all came in the same way and manner as all others have gone the same way before. However, once we pass through the inner door and take our first steps into Freemasonry, our paths take different routes.

Some work aggressively to complete their degrees so that they might begin the ascension through the officer's chairs, their eyes and hearts on the Oriental Chair in the East. Others aren't able to commit the same amount of time to their ritual work and so their path begins to extend, stretching out as much as is needed to allow them the opportunity to take care of all that needs to be done. Time schedules change; responsibilities come and go but Masonry stays constant. It is always there to provide you with the Light you need to keep on your sublime course.

Yes, as Brothers, our paths do cross from time to time; when we come together for meetings or rehearsals, for charity events and to assist a Brother in need. Unfortunately, it seems that our paths have a tendency to cross less and less. Work and family obligations draw us away from our Masonic duties and rightfully so; these two responsibilities always come before Masonry. But often, we find other tasks that keep us from attending; things that we choose to become reasons for not attending, not things that absolutely require us to be absent. In this absence, the Masonic Light begins to dwindle. We lose contact with our Brothers, friends and obligations. We forget the teachings of our ritual and may find ourselves straying from our level paths; the length of our cable tow no longer able to keep us square and upright.

But fear not, my Brothers! Our way can be easily righted! For Masonic Light is ever prevalent in Lodge and always willing to shine on your countenance no matter how long it's been since your path has led you through the outer door. It holds no grudges and forgives all discrepancies. It does not judge you on your actions but accepts that we are who we are and appreciates the time you've taken out of your busy schedule to partake in its knowledge and teachings.

So take the time to adjust your path: regularly attend meetings, participate in rehearsals and attend district events and hopefully, the next time someone asks you, "Whence Came You?" you can confidently reply, "From the Lodge!"

Fraternal Regards,  
*ADAM M. REICH*  
Worshipful Master

Attest: Bennett D. Schneider, PM, Secretary

**DESIGNS UPON THE TRESTLEBOARD**

**Tuesday, March 2, 2010.....8:00PM**

*Official Visit*  
District Deputy Grand Master  
RW Raymond J. Hilling

Officer's Attire: Formal  
Dinner: 6:30PM

**Tuesday, March 9, 2010.....8:00PM**

Ritual Refresher  
Officer's Attendance Mandatory  
All Master Masons Welcomed

**Tuesday, March 16, 2010.....8:00PM**

*Balloting on Suspensions for Non-Payment of Dues*  
Officer's Attire: Business Suit

**Thursday, March 18, 2010**

17th Masonic District Assn. Meeting 7:00PM  
District Lodge of Instruction 7:30PM

District-Wide Mentoring to be held on the lower level of the Lodge.

All Candidates and Mentors welcome.  
Please RSVP to WM Adam Reich by March 16<sup>th</sup> so we can get an accurate headcount for dinner and refreshments.

Asbury Jordan Lodge #142

**Tuesday, March 23, 2010.....8:00PM**

Masonic Visit to Olive Branch Lodge #16  
2 Dutch Lane Road, Freehold

Officer's Attire: Business Suit  
(No Mentoring)

**Tuesday, March 30, 2010**

Lodge Closed  
In Observance of the  
2<sup>nd</sup> Passover Seder

(No Mentoring)

**IN MEMORIAM**

**Brother Jerome Yawnick**

Initiated: 11/19/1974  
Passed: 04/15/1975  
Raised: 05/26/1975

Called to the Supreme Architect of the Universe:  
03/15/2009

**Reminder:** Weekly Mentoring from 7:00PM to 8:00PM every Tuesday evening unless otherwise noted.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**April 2010**

- Short Talk Masonic Presentation
- DLI @ Monmouth Lodge #172
- Masonic Visit to Caesarea #64
- Annual Grand Lodge Communication

**May 2010**

- Summer Fundraiser Discussion
- DLI @ Durand Lodge #179
- Masonic Visit to Ocean Lodge #89

**DISTRICT EVENTS**

**Friday, June 18, 2010.....6:30PM**

5<sup>th</sup> Annual Durand Lodge Blue Claws Game  
First Energy Park, Lakewood NJ  
Party Deck, 3<sup>rd</sup> Base Side

Food Station One:

Hot dogs and Hamburgers with the dressings,  
Chicken fingers w/honey mustard, Buffalo wings  
with blue cheese.

Food Station Two:

Garlic Bread & Caesar Salad, Bowtie Pasta w/garlic  
& oil dried tomato & broccoli, Tortellini w/basil  
cream sauce.

Food Station 3:

Roasted potato, vegetable de jour & dinner roll,  
Flange steak.

Drinks:

Water, Soda  
Cookies and coffee at the end.

Adults: \$35, Children 5-12: \$20

For Tickets Contact: WB John Wardell 732-892-6944

**A Note from the Secretary**

Volunteers are needed to serve one or two hours a month as part of our Masonic Widows Program. Please contact Bennett Schneider for more information.



Please report changes of mailing address and/or if you wish to add your email address to our records to the Secretary.

**GRAND LODGE EVENTS**

**Note:** Details for all Grand Lodge events can be found on our website or by contacting the Secretary.

**See enclosed notifications sheet for all information.**

**Awaiting Committee Report**

**Mr. George Sakelaris**  
*Committee Chair:*  
*Bennett D. Schneider, PM*

**Awaiting Fellowcraft Degree**

**Bro. Allen Jay Brown**  
**Bro. Perry Calcagno**

**Awaiting Master Mason Examination**

**Bro. Jean M.St. Phard**

**Masonic Birthdays For March**

Manuel Almeida, 5; Robert T. Baer, 55;  
Nathan J. Cotler, 57; William H. Edwards, 42;  
Herbert Glikin, 50; Howard Goldberg, 44;  
Charles J. Hoffman, 52; Robert B. Lee, Sr., 13;  
Bernard A. Merer, 31; Cedric L. Nussbaum, 60;  
Arthur C. Pappaylion, 45; Ronald S. Schanack, 36;  
Robert S. Segan, 50; Donal L. Shires, Jr., 23

If your birthday is not listed here, please notify the Worshipful Master or Secretary

**Participation**

*By RW Phil Scrudato, PGC*

The seeds had been planted and were starting to grow, in a field well tilled by masters some time ago. They mixed proper proportions of truth, wisdom and grit to make the roots flourish, be strong, fair and fit. As the years passed by and the plants blossomed well, their branches reached out to every hill and every dell. These plants stayed strong for many a year, bearing fruit for all to grasp, hold and rear. Like all things that live, these plants can't succeed, without proper nourishment to help them reseed. Reseeding is a must, but love should come first, to help each great plant quench its great thirst. It is easy my brothers – each plant wants no more – just a little participation, like you did before!  
Stop by, come on in, say hello,  
it will give us the strength needed to grow!

If you would like to receive your trestleboard by email in Adobe PDF form and/or would like to have a lodge email address, please email **webmaster@asburyjordan142.org**